

Listing of Claims

The following is a copy of Applicant's claims that identifies language being added with underlining ("___") and language being deleted with strikethrough ("—"), as is applicable:

1. (Currently Amended) An imaging device, comprising:
a main unit that includes a print mechanism and a media input tray; and
a physically separate auxiliary unit that is positioned below the main unit, couples with the same in stacked configuration, and physically supports the main unit, the auxiliary unit including an integral document finishing mechanism and a further media input tray, wherein the document finishing mechanism is accessible from an environment outside the imaging device through a slot provided in an exterior of the auxiliary unit such that printed media is fed through the slot into the document finishing mechanism from outside the auxiliary unit, wherein the auxiliary unit has a footprint that is substantially the same as a footprint of the main unit.

2. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein the print mechanism comprises a laser print mechanism.

3. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein the print mechanism comprises an ink print mechanism.

4. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein the main unit further includes a scanning unit.

5-8. (Canceled)

9. (Currently Amended) The device of claim 8 1, wherein the document finishing mechanism is integrated with the media input tray.

10. (Currently Amended) The device of claim 8 1, wherein the document finishing mechanism is located to a side of the media input tray.

11. (Canceled)

12. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a stapling mechanism.

13. (Previously Presented) The device of claim 1, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a spiral binding mechanism.

14. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a hole punching mechanism.

15. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a folding mechanism.

16. (Original) The device of claim 1, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a trimming mechanism.

17-28. (Canceled)

29. (Previously Presented) The imaging device of claim 1 wherein the auxiliary unit is positioned below the media input tray.

30. (Currently Amended) An auxiliary unit for an imaging device, wherein the auxiliary unit is locatable physically separate from a main unit of the imaging device and is couplable in a stacked configuration with the main unit including a print mechanism and a media input tray, so that the auxiliary unit is positioned below the main unit, wherein the auxiliary unit comprises:

an integral document finishing mechanism accessible from an environment outside the imaging device through a slot provided in the exterior of the auxiliary unit such that printed media is fed through the slot into the document finishing mechanism from outside the auxiliary unit; and

a further media input tray; wherein the auxiliary unit has a footprint that is substantially the same as the footprint of the main unit.

31. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein the document finishing mechanism is integrated with the further media input tray.

32. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein the document finishing mechanism is located to a side of the media input tray.

33. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a stapling mechanism.

34. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a binding mechanism.

35. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a hole punching mechanism.

36. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a folding mechanism.

37. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein the document finishing mechanism comprises a trimming mechanism.

38. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, which is couplable with the main unit in the stacked configuration so that it is positionable below the media input tray.

39. (Previously Presented) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein media are feedable to the main unit from the further media input tray.

40. (New) The device of claim 1, wherein a portion of the printed media remains accessible from outside the auxiliary unit as the printed media is inserted into the slot for finishing.

41. (New) The auxiliary unit of claim 30, wherein a portion of the printed media remains accessible from outside the auxiliary unit as the printed media is inserted into the slot for finishing.